

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: )

Takayuki IKEDA et al. )

Serial No. 09/542,473 )

Filed: April 4, 2000 )

For: ELECTROOPTICAL DEVICE AND A )  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME

Group Art Unit: 2826

Examiner: Ahmed N. Sefer

Confirmation No. 6069

Date: October 2, 2003

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 22, 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.